

REMARKS

This response is filed in response to the non-final Office Action dated April 29, 2009.

Claims 9-12, 14, and 17-20 were pending. In the Office Action, the Examiner required new corrected drawings because the referenced Figure 1 could not be located.

Applicants enclose an additional copy of Figure 1 with this response. For the Examiner's convenience and completeness of the record, Applicants have also included Figures 2-4, which were previously submitted. No new matter has been added.

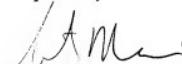
Claims 9-12, 14, and 17-20 are presented for examination. Because the pending claims were not rejected in the April 29, 2009 Office Action, Applicants believe that no substantive response is necessary at this time.

Applicants respectfully request that the claims be allowed based on the previous remarks of record.

CONCLUSION

Favorable consideration and allowance of claims 9-12, 14, and 17-20 is respectfully requested. In the event that the application is not deemed in condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned in an effort to advance prosecution of this application. If any additional fees are required in addition to the three-month extension fee, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 02-4377. If any overpayment has been made, please credit Deposit Account No. 02-4377.

Respectfully submitted,



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